

Dear Michigan Senate,

Thank you for addressing this highly sensitive and crucial important for many Michigan motorists such as myself. Since 2009, I have been without my chauffeur's license which makes it extremely difficult to obtain viable employment. Thankfully, I have been fortunate enough to pay all tickets and related court costs but as of now I am still left with a \$7,400 balance in which I have paid \$400 toward that. As for a payment arrangement, I did manage to set up an agreement for \$100 monthly but was later told by a supervisor that the \$100 monthly amount would not be enough. I would need to pay at least \$315 per month instead which I do not have especially with 2 children in currently in college.

The implementation of driver's responsibility has made unbelievably stressful for me and my family in that I am unable to maintain viable employment because I cannot drive myself to and from the sites. I have been offered several positions especially as a driver but because I do not have a regular driver's license and cannot get my CDL at the time of hire, another candidate is considered.

I am a 44-year old father just looking to provide for myself and my family. Please do away with Drivers Responsibility for those who have paid their debt. I really, really need my driver's license. Thanks for your time.

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